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SUBJECT: PRESIDENT'S PRESS CONFERENCE AND AID TO CAMBODIA

- 1. IN PRESS CONFERENCE JANUARY 21, THE PRESIDENT IN ANSWER TO A SPECIFIC QUESTION SAID THAT THE ADMINISTRATION WOULD BE GOING TO CONGRESS FOR AN ADDITIONAL DOLS 300 MILLION FOR SOUTH VIETNAM. HE DID NOT RPT NOT MENTION CAMBODIA SINCE LATTER WAS NOT SPECIFICALLY RAISED DURING THE PRESS CONFERENCE.
- 2. IN VIEW OF FOREGOING AND IN ORDER TO ALLAY ANY GKR
 FEARS CONCERNING FACT THAT CAMBODIA NOT RPT NOT MENTIONED
 IN PRESIDENT'S PRESS CONFERENCE, AMBASSADOR SHOULD INFORM
 LON NOL AND OTHER OFFICIALS AS NECESSARY THAT SOUTH
 VIETNAM DESIGNATED SOLELY IN THE CONTEXT OF QUESTION AND
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ANSWER PERIOD. AMBASSADOR SHOULD ASSURE AUTHORITIES

THAT CONGRESS WILL BE REQUESTED TO LIFT THE CEILING ON
AID AND PROVIDE SUPPLEMENTAL MAP FUNDS OF DOLS 222 MILLION
FOR CAMBODIA. KISSINGER

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